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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Group Art Unit: 2873

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For: A PROJECTION OPTICAL SYSTEM, A PROJECTION EXPOSURE  
APPARATUS AND A PROJECTION EXPOSURE METHOD

**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Please substitute the attached 2 sheets of formal drawings depicting Figures 10 and 18 for the corresponding drawings filed with the application. The attached drawings have been corrected pursuant to the approved Request for Approval of Drawing Corrections filed on May 6, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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